

Year 3 and 4

Term 1 Plan




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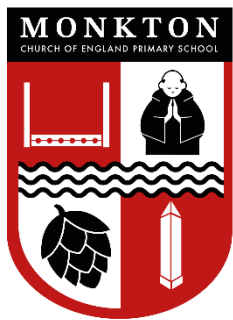
Term 1 CURRICULUM

Term 1			
Themed Learning – Through the Ages			
		Things to look forward to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Stone Age Day at Kent Life – 30th September - Designing a delicious taco filling - Can we wash a woolly mammoth? - Stone Age taste testing 	
Subject	Focus	Subject	Focus
Reading	Stig of the Dump – Clive King Stone Age Boy – Satoshi Kitamura How to Wash a Woolly Mammoth – Michelle Robinson	Art	
Writing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Instructions - A setting description - A character description 	DT	Cook Well, Eat Well
Maths	Place Value to 10,000 – ordering, rounding Adding and Subtracting	PE	Football and Handball
Science	Skeletons Nutrition and Diet	RSE	Get Heartsmart
Geography		Computing	Computing Systems and Networks Connecting computers
History	Stone Age Britain	Spanish	Greetings with puppets
RE	What do Christians learn from The Creation Story?	Music	Hear it! Play it! Exploring Rhythmic Patterns

Key Dates

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Tuesday 9 th September at 2:45pm	Meet the Teacher in the main hall – a chance to hear about the year ahead
Friday 12 th September	Harvest Service at the church
Friday 26 th September	European Day of Languages – Spanish theme
Tuesday 30 th September	Kent Life Stone Age Trip
Thursday 2 nd October	National Poetry Day – Child and Teacher poetry slam!
Friday 3 rd October 3:00pm – 3:15pm	Colour Run Fundraiser for OPAL
Wednesday 15 th October 1:10pm – 7:30pm	Parent Consultations (in the school hall)
Friday 17 th October	Wear it Red Day – Show racism the red card
Friday 17 th October	Last day of Term 1



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Term 2 Plan




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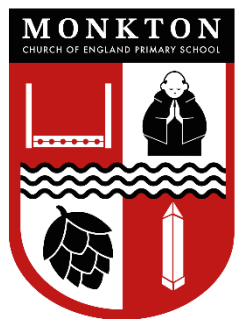
Term 2 CURRICULUM

Term 2			
Themed Learning – Through the Ages			
		Things to look forward to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Making Bell Beaker pots - A local walk of Monkton Village - Making a den 	
Subject	Focus	Subject	Focus
Reading	Stig of the Dump – Clive King Coming to England – Floella Benjamin Ug – Raymond Briggs	Art	Prehistoric Pots
Writing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - A housing advert - A letter - A recount 	DT	
Maths	Inverse operations Sharing and grouping Multiplication and division Area	PE	Gymnastics and Fitness
Science	Sustainability Rocks	RSE	Don't Forget To Let Love In!
Geography	One Planet, Our World	Computing	Creating Media – Year 3 Stop-frame animation
History	Iron Age/Bronze Age	Spanish	Numbers and Ages
RE	What is the Trinity?	Music	Performing a simple rhythmic ostinato Composing and notating rhythmic patterns

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Monday 27 th October (1 st day of T2)	Diwali – Festival of Light (Whole School Learning)
Tuesday 28 th October	Class Photos
Friday 7 th November	OPAL Stay 'n' Play – a chance for parents to come and experience the power of play!
Week Beginning 10 th November	Anti-Bullying Week
Friday 14 th November	Children in Need
Thursday 11 th December	Christmas Jumper Day
Tuesday 16 th December	Christingle at the Church
Wednesday 17 th December @2:30pm	Christmas Open Afternoon – a chance to come and look at your children's achievements in T1 and T2
Thursday 18 th December	Monkton's Got Talent
Thursday 18 th December	Last day of T2 – Happy Christmas!



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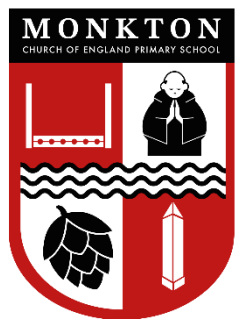
Term 3 CURRICULUM

Term 3			
Themed Learning – Rocks, Relics and Rumbles			
		Things to look forward to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Making an automata toy - Making a volcano - Monkton Nature Reserve visit 	
Subject	Focus	Subject	Focus
Reading	The Firework-Maker's Daughter – Philip Pullman Pop-Up Volcano – Tom Vaillant	Art	
Writing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - A diary entry - A description - A poster 	DT	Making it Move
Maths	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Multiplication and division – multiplying by 10 and 100, multiplying and dividing up to 3-digit numbers • Length and perimeter • Fractions 	PE	Dance and Dodgeball
Science	Fossils and Soils	RSE	Too Much Selfie Isn't Healthy!
Geography	Volcanoes	Computing	Creating Media – Year 4 Audio Editing
History	Pompeii	Spanish	Pets and Colours
RE	What kind of world did Jesus want?	Music	Identifying the inter-related dimensions of music Accompanying songs with suitable timbre and expression

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Monday 5 th January	New Year Resolutions Theme Day (Whole School)
Friday 16 th January	Muddy OPAL Stay 'n' Play – a chance for parents to come and experience the power of play (IN THE MUD)!
Monday 19 th January	Young Voices Concert at the O2 (Choir Only)
Friday 6 th February	National Number Day
Tuesday 10 th February	Safer Internet Day
Friday 13 th February	Winter Olympics Theme Day (Whole School)
Friday 13 th February	Last day of T3



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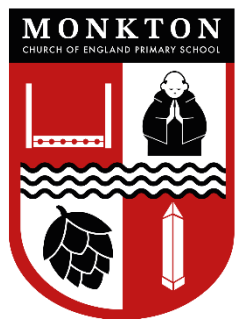
Term 4 CURRICULUM

Term 4			
Themed Learning – Rocks, Relics and Rumbles			
		Things to look forward to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Volcano music making - Exploring ammonites - Becoming Monkton Newsreaders 	
Subject	Focus	Subject	Focus
Reading	Stone Girl: Bone Girl – The story of Mary Anning – Laurence Anholt	Art	Ammonites
Writing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - A newspaper report - A biography - A setting description 	DT	
Maths	Fractions, improper fractions and mixed numbers Mass and capacity Adding and subtracting fractions	PE	Gymnastics and Orienteering
Science	Light	RSE	Don't Hold On To What's Wrong!
Geography	Earthquakes and Tsunamis	Computing	Programming A – Year 3 Sequencing Sounds
History		Spanish	Classroom Objects in Spanish
RE	Why do Christians call the day Jesus died, 'Good Friday'?	Music	Creating sounds in response to a stimulus To compose music to communicate stories and settings

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Week Beginning Monday 2 nd March	Book Week
Thursday 5 th March	World Book Day
Friday 20 th March	Comic Relief
Thursday 2 nd April	This is Me Day (Whole School)
Thursday 2 nd April	Last day of T4



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Term 5 Plan




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Term 5			
Themed Learning – Emperors and Empires			
		Things to look forward to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Growing our own plants and flowers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Roman dress up day - Making mosaics - Roman Fort Trip 	
Subject	Focus	Subject	Focus
Reading	Roman Tales: The Goose Guards – Terry Deary	Art	Mosaic Masters
Writing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - A persuasive letter - A short story 	DT	
Maths	Time and duration Decimals, making a whole, dividing a number by 10 and 100	PE	Netball and Tennis
Science	Plants	RSE	Fake is a Mistake!
Geography		Computing	Programming A – Year 4 Repetition in shapes
History	Ancient Rome	Spanish	Dates and Birthdays
RE	What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today?	Music	Describing and experimenting with pitch Representing pitch

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Week Beginning Monday 20 th April	Recycling Week
Monday 20 th April	Earth Day (Whole School Theme Day)
Monday 18 th May	Sports Day
Tuesday 19 th May	Reserve Sports Day
Week Beginning Monday 18 th May	Healthy Bodies, Healthy Mind Week (Whole School)
Friday 22 nd May	Last Day of T5



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Term 6 Plan




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Term 6 CURRICULUM

Term 6			
Themed Learning – Emperors and Empires			
		Things to look forward to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - End of year class party - Creating frame structures out of sweets - Roman Museum in Canterbury 	
Subject	Focus	Subject	Focus
Reading	Poems Aloud - Joseph Keolho The Wild Robot – Peter Brown	Art	
Writing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - A poster to advertise the Roman Museum - A poem - A character description 	DT	Greenhouse
Maths	Money Shape, identifying angles, symmetry Position and direction Statistics, interpreting graphs and representing data	PE	Athletics and Rounders
Science	Forces and Magnets	RSE	No Way Through, Isn't True!
Geography		Computing	Data and Information Branching Databases
History	Invasion and Life in Rome	Spanish	Journey around Latin America
RE	What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today?	Music	Exploring the pentatonic scale Performing songs with tuned accompaniments

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Monday 1 st June – Friday 5 th June	Year 6 Hindleap Residential
Friday 12 th June	Men's Football World Cup (Whole School Theme Day)
Monday 22 nd June	World Music Day (Whole School Theme Day)
Friday 26 th June	Year 5 Camp Out
Wednesday 8 th July	End of Year Reports emailed to parents
Thursday 9 th July	Year 6 Production
Thursday 9 th July	Open Afternoon – a chance to come and look at your children's achievements this year
Friday 17 th July	Last day of T6 – have a great summer!